

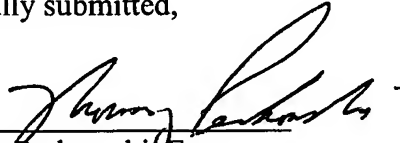
**REMARKS**

Applicants have amended the Specification to correct errors of a typographical nature, and to ensure correspondence between the Specification and the Replacement Drawings filed herewith.

Applicants have also canceled claims 1-27 and 45-70 without prejudice or disclaimer. Claims 28-44 remain for prosecution. Applicants reserve the right to file one or more continuation applications based on the canceled claims.

Respectfully submitted,

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